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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 CFR § 1.56, and in accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.97 *et. seq.*, the referenced materials are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP 609, Applicants request that a copy of the 1449 form, initialed as being considered by the Examiner, be returned with the next official communication.

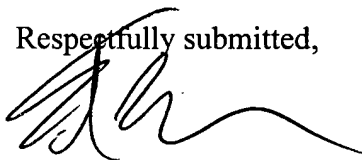
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Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(b), it is believed that no fee or statement is required with the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. In the event there are any fees payable, please charge them to our Deposit Account No. 50-2121.

In accordance with the Patent and Trademark Office's waiver of the requirement under 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(i), copies of the listed U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications are not enclosed.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's attorney at (603) 668-6560 if there are any questions regarding this communication.

Respectfully submitted,

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS/SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
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**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

		United Kingdom Search and Examination Report dated February 21, 2005

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